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SECRETARY KNOX IS STANDING PAT

Expects Cuba to Reply to Note by Making Improvements.

5,000 TROOPS IN READINESS

State Department Does Not Expect Matters to Go as Far as Intervention—Gomez to Confer with Political Leaders.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The state department stood pat on its note to Cuba, warning President Gomez that he must maintain the law or expect a third intervention.

Secretary Knox feels it is now up to Cuba and that the state department will have an answer to its note in steps taken to remedy the existing political situation.

Meanwhile all arrangements have been made by the war department so that a force of 5,000 can be dispatched to Cuba on a few hours' notice. Troops along the Atlantic coast have been designated which will be sent to Cuba in case it becomes necessary to occupy the island.

This view was also published at the state department: Unofficial reports received from Havana were taken to indicate that Cuba understands the purpose of the note presented by Minister Beaupre. Word was received that President Gomez will meet the leaders of all the political factions for the purpose of discussing the situation.

This step is taken to indicate that the note had already had a most salutory effect, in that it has resulted in opposing leaders getting together for at least a discussion of the situation.

NUNEZ FIRM FOR PEACE

Thinks Americans Will Not Meddle in His Campaign.

New York, Jan. 18.—General Nunez, commander of the Cuban veterans, sent the following message to the New York Sun:

"Havana—Our attitude will be that the organization will remain firm in its object to guarantee peace, which may be altered by political parties, to moralize the administration and to spread patriotism in the hearts of the people. We protest against that which may be a menace to our freedom and independence, being sure that the noble people of the United States will never take our unselfish and patriotic campaign as an excuse to intervene in matters which could not affect in any way their interests in Cuba.

"GENERAL NUNEZ."

MESSAGE FROM GOMEZ

President of Cuba States His Intentions to New York Sun.

New York, Jan. 18. — President Gomez of Cuba sent the following message to the New York Sun:

"Havana — Undoubtedly the news from Cuba has been greatly exaggerated. This has caused the friendly note from the American government. I depend upon the patriotism of the Cuban people, who will not forget their duty. I am certain the veterans will listen to my advice and, in any event, I have sufficient means at my command to maintain order and to enforce the law. GOMEZ."

SESSION WILL BE LONG

Congress Expected to Sweat Through Most of Next Summer.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Both Democratic and Republican leaders in the house of representatives agreed that there was little likelihood of congress adjourning before August next.

It was said that this probability largely influenced the Democrats in choosing Baltimore as the national convention city. The Republicans will have a more awkward situation to deal with in holding their convention in Chicago with congress in session.

CLASH IN LAWRENCE, MASS.

Militiamen Preventing Parade Are Attacked by Mob.

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 18.—The first severe clash between strikers and the authorities that has occurred since Monday came at noon, when the militiamen on duty in the mill district endeavored to prevent a parade of 3,000 strikers.

The crowd armed itself with bricks, stones, tin cans and pieces of ice, which were hurled at the militiamen. Several of the soldiers were struck.

MASONIC NOTICE.

Special convocation of Excelsior Chapter, No. 25, R. A. M., Friday evening, the 19th inst. Work in Past and Most Excellent degree.

BENNETT W. KIEF, H. P.
P. W. CARPENTER, Sec. 119

GASOLINE CLAIMS VICTIMS

Litchfield Woman Dies and Daughter Is Badly Burned.

Litchfield, Mich., Jan. 18. — While filling a gasoline lamp at her home a mile south of the village, Mrs. Ben Herring was burned so badly that she died. It is not just known how the accident occurred, but there was an explosion.

Mrs. Herring rolled herself up in the rugs upon the floor, but all her clothing was burned off. Miss Lou Herring, her niece, who was with her, burned her hands in trying to extinguish the fire. Mrs. Herring was fifty years old.

YPSILANTI WOMAN'S CLUB DISCUSS MICHIGAN AUTHORS WEDNESDAY

The Ypsilanti Woman's Club met in the Red Cross room of Masonic Temple Wednesday afternoon. The attendance was light, owing to the weather. Quotations from Michigan authors were given in response to roll call. The committee appointed for looking after the markers for Michigan avenue (called in Ypsilanti "Congress street and "Chicago avenue") was instructed to confer with similar commitees appointed by other clubs in the city and move the work along.

Mrs. Knight gave an explanation of the Nobel peace prize and read a story by Will Leavington Comfort called, "Dub of the Corduroys." Mrs. Erwin read a poem by Ben King and gave a brief sketch of Will Carleton.

Mrs. Lockwood spoke entertainingly of a group of Michigan authors she has known: Mrs. Luella Lockwood Moore and Sterns Stevens of Detroit and Mrs. Marshall H. Pettit. Mrs. Pettit, who is the wife of the pastor of the Baptist church of this city, has written a book entitled, "The Way Upward," which was published a few years ago, and in a recent issue of "The Housewife" has appeared one of her latest stories, "Mrs. Mucklejoy's End Words." Mrs. Pettit has also composed music.

Mrs. Carpenter read three of Riley's poems.

Arrangements were completed for "gentlemen evening" which has been planned to be observed on Jan. 31, and on this occasion a literary and musical program will be given.

POSTPONED MEETING IS FINALLY HELD AT THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The heating plant at the Congregational church has been thoroughly overhauled this week and put in good shape so that the church will be warm and comfortable for all occasions. The annual meeting and supper which was postponed last week on account of the condition of the heating plant will be held this week Friday evening. Supper will be served, free, to the members of the church and congregation, at six o'clock. After supper the usual reports will be given, and officers elected and other business transacted. All who attend the church regularly are cordially invited to be present.

TEACHERS WILL MEET IN GRAND RAPIDS IN NOVEMBER

The State Teachers' association will hold their annual meeting at Grand Rapids, Oct. 31 and Nov. 1.

Ionia Farmer Hangs Self.

Ionia, Mich., Jan. 18.—George Fox of Odessa township went to the barn, climbed to a landing, tied a rope arcund his neck and jumped off. The fall was better than six feet, and he was instantly killed. Brooding over the suicide of Clare McNeal is said to be the cause.

G. R. & I. Flyer Hits Cattle.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 18.—A G. R. & I. flyer crashed into a herd of twenty-two cattle belonging to George Wilson of this city while they were crossing the tracks near here. Every animal was killed. The train was not derailed.

Convicted of Child Assault.

Escanaba, Mich., Jan. 18.—Alexander Braitland was found guilty by a jury in the circuit court of statutory assault on a thirteen-year-old girl. Braitland is forty years and and the evidence was revolting.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

If you have any good fat young chickens drop a card or ship them direct to Ed. Rogers, 1903 Woodward Ave., Detroit. You can get fancy prices for fancy stock. No commission to pay. Ship via. American Express Co. Coops returned without extra charge.

DON'T FORGET.

Prof. Scott's Cinderella Party Thursday evening at Rowima. 18*

MISSING MAN FROM BELLVILLE IS LOCATED

Lee Yoder, who left Belleville Thursday morning while temporarily in an unbalanced state of mind, it is believed, has been heard from by his wife.

Mr. Yoder was the telegraph agent at Belleville, where he had found his duties so onerous that he became excedingly nervous and seemed on the verge of a collapse. He asked to be released and, accordingly, another man was sent on to take his place in the telegraph office. His wife and their child had gone to her parents in Milan, Mr. and Mrs. Goldsmith, and his father-in-law had told him that, if he would apprise him of the time he was coming, he would meet him at the station.

As nearly as can be ascertained, Yoder went, Thursday morning, first from Belleville to Adrian, then came back to Milan. Here, instead of going to the Goldsmith home, he went to consult a doctor, and it is learned that two men assisted him in getting on a train at that point, explaining he was sick.

His wife was exceedingly anxious when the days passed without bringing any word from her husband. Finally on Monday morning of this week a letter from Yoder informed her that he was with his brother in Chicago.

Ypsilanti Study Club Presents Good Program

There were twenty-five members present at the meeting on Wednesday of the Ypsilanti Study Club, which was presided over by the president, Mrs. C. M. Elliott. After the next two club meetings were somewhat arranged for—they will both be observed as guest days—the program was partially carried out.

Miss Nellie Trim reviewed two chapters of "Brave Little Holland." Mrs. Beyerman read a strikingly able paper on "Settlement Work in New York City," in which she and her husband have both in the past been engaged. Her paper was supplemented with pictures which she passed about.

Mrs. Fannie Cheever Burton sang charmingly two songs, "On the Wild Rose Tree," by Rotoly, and "Lassie with the Lips so rosy," by Fisher.

The club then adjourned to meet next with Mrs. W. J. Clarke.

AWARDS HAVE BEEN MADE AT THE POULTRY SHOW

"This is the finest small-town exhibit I have seen this year," said the judge of the poultry exhibit, Frank Travis, of Jackson, speaking of the show which is now being held under the auspices of the Ypsilanti Poultry Fanciers' association on Congress street. The awards have now all been made. About one hundred visitors a day has been the record, and this is very satisfactory, taking into consideration the very discouraging aspect of the weather.

TEACHERS GIVEN GOOD ADVICE BY F. S. KEELER

Ann Arbor, Jan. 17—Assistant Superintendent of Public instruction Fred L. Keeler talking to 126 Washtenaw county public school directors Tuesday exploded a bomb in their midst when he advocated cutting out all written arithmetic up to at least the sixth grade.

"Give the children mental arithmetic," said he, "the good old-fashioned kind and plenty of it."

He told the directors their teachers must teach on February 22 if they expected pay and he advised them not to be too hasty in closing their schools for long periods.

"In case of an outbreak of some contagious disease fumigate the building, quarantine the exposed pupils and then go on with the school," said he.

U and I Helping Hand dance at the Armory Friday evening.

SOCIAL PARTY.

Fischer's orchestra, Masonic Temple, under direction of ladies of St John's church. Thursday, Jan. 25.

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HONORED BY HARVARD

Resigned Ambassador to France Placed in Harvard Corporation.

ROBERT BACON

INSANE ASYLUM AFIRE

Flames Damage Emergency Hospital at Dunning, Ill.

No Lives Lost in Blaze Which Practically Destroys Institution in Chicago Suburb.

Chicago, Jan. 18. — While firemen, police, attendants and nurses battled furiously with frenzied insane patients, the emergency hospital at Dunning burned to the ground.

Supposed to have ignited from a defective flue on the top floor of the main wing, the flames gradually ate their way downward and four hours after the fire was discovered virtually all of a three-wing building, four and five stories high, was in ruins.

So far as is known no lives were lost. During the progress of the fire, Former Justice of the Peace Thomas Edgar, now steward of the institution, had a battle for life on a bridge connecting two of the wings, four stories in the air, with two insane patients.

LINDSAY BOY STILL ABSENT

Ward of Sun Worshippers' Society Not Brought into Court.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—"Billy" Lindsay, twelve-year-old heir to a fortune, and his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Lindsay, "Vahdah" in Ottoman Zar Adusht Hanish's Mazdaznan Temple in Lake Park avenue, again failed to appear before Judge Pinckney in the juvenile court when the contest over the boy's custody was resumed.

Judge Pinckney advised those having the custody of the boy to produce him, if they would avoid serious consequences.

BLAZE COSTS $1,250,000

Warehouse Containing Large Quantity of Merchandise Damaged.

New York, Jan. 18.—The seven-story warehouse of the Terminal Storage company, occupying a full city block near the North river water front between Twenty-Seventh and Twenty-Eighth streets, and containing merchandise valued at more than $1,000,000, was swept by fire.

The fire was discovered a few minutes after midnight. It was not under control until 6:45 a. m., when the loss was estimated at $1,250,000.

OHIO GRAFT BILLS FOUND

Former Officers of Brown County Indicted by Grand Jury.

Georgetown, O., Jan. 18.—The grand jury which has been investigating affairs of Brown county has returned five indictments charging misconduct in connection with expenditures of county funds.

F. A. Davis and W. E. Hare, former county commissioners; W. L. Martin and Louis Kautz, former superintendents of contract work, and a corporation agent are accused.

Sailors Are Lost in Storm.

London, Jan. 18.—The British isles are in the grip of a fierce storm. The British steamer Ashgrove of Glasgow was driven on to the sea wall at Methil on the Firth of Forth, and four of her crew were swept away. A large three masted steamer foundered with all hands in the vicinity of Peterhead.

PRACTICAL TALK ON GOOD ROADS IS GIVEN AT A. A.

Ann Arbor, Jan. 18—The subject of good roads was splendidly handled by Charles H. Hoyt in this city Tuesday at the University. Mr. Hoyt had no words of commendation, however, for the transcontinental road movement, claiming that the crying need was for roads good enough for the farmer to haul his crops to the markets and a system of shorter roads.

Mr. Hoyt's lecture contained valuable suggestions of a practical nature on actual road building. Among other things he said:

"There are eight distinct types of roads being built on a practical basis at the present time. Earth, gravel, sand clay, shell, plain macadam, bituminous macadam, concrete and brick, each of which has its proper place somewhere in our system of highways. It would be ridiculous to undertake to build all roads of any one of these materials. The problem appears to me in a majority of cases to be that of using such materials as are locally available to the best advantage. And it is a manifest justice to all concerned to build the road carrying the greatest amount of traffic, much more substantially, possibly of more durable materials, possibly also of greater width, and to give more attention to reducing steep grades than on other roads which render less service."

Mr. Hoyt believes bituminous macadam the most popular road at the present time, although he claims brick is growing in favor in localities where it is available at reasonable prices. Said he: "Bituminous macadam is practically the same as ordinary macadam, with the addition of some black sticky tar or asphalt added to the top course stone to make them stick together, so they will not lay around like a bunch of marbles, and also to get ride of the clouds of dust rising behind moving vehicles.

Mr. Hoyt does not despise the dirt road, when the conditions are right for such a road. Said he: "A dirt road is good as long as it is dry, smooth and hard, three conditions we do not get all at once for very long periods of time. But it is possible for us to put our earth roads in such locations, and to build them of such cross sections and to build ditches and culverts of such design that they will keep the water away from the road as much as possible. You look at a poor stretch of earth road, and you will find it is often lower than the surrounding country on either side. That is, the road is a natural ditch built by man for acres and acres of surrounding land. Water that falls into the road cannot get out except by evaporation or soaking into the ground, and just as much lower as the road is than the surrounding land, just so much nearer is it to the ground water line, and therefore more wet. Many of our roads on side hill locations do not have suitable surface ditches provided on the up-hill side, to say nothing of sub-drains or intercepting drains to take care of the underground water that trickles down from the hillside toward the road. Consequently the water runs or soaks into the road and stays there till dried out."

Mr. Hoyt advocates a patrol system, believing it would relieve much of this difficulty, and keep a great many ditches and culverts cleared of obstructing material, keeping out mud holes and at least preventing their getting of any great size. Patrol systems are in use in European countries, according to Mr. Hoyt. Such patrol systems consist of one man and a pair of horses and wagon, who patrols from eight to 12 miles of a road, and who works on his section throughout the entire year. The state of New York is the only state in the Union to adopt this system.

It is estimated that 265,000,000 tons of farm produce are hauled yearly over our public highways, and that in this matter alone, poor roads cost the farmer something like $336,000,000 yearly.

"I believe that the system of highways this country needs today is not a system of through roads over which the tourist and joy rider can go whizzing as fast as he pleases regardless of the welfare or comfort of other travelers; but that this country needs that system of shorter highways which radiate and branch out from the market centers back to the surrounding farms; that system of highways which connects the farm with the market place, with the church and the educational institions."

PROF. SCOTT.

Gives a Dancing Party at Rowima Hall Saturday eve., Jan. 27th. 18*

SOCIAL PARTY.

Fischer's orchestra, Masonic Temple, under direction of ladies of St. John's church. Thursday, Jan. 25.

STATE'S OLDEST MASON DEAD

Liberty H. Bailey of South Haven Taken at Nearly 93.

South Haven, Mich., Jan. 18.—Liberty H. Bailey, aged ninety-two years and eleven months, died at his residence near the city. He was father of L. H. Bailey of Cornell university agricultural department. He was the oldest Mason in the state, a thirty-second degree Scottish Rite, member of the high priesthood of Michigan and Oriental Order of Palm and Shell.

He belonged to all the Masonic orders here and was a charter member of the consistory of Michigan and a member of Peninsula Commandery of Kalamazoo, K. T.

FORMER YPSI MAN HAS NARROW ESCAPE FROM INSTANT DEATH

Ypsilanti friends of Carl Gooding, who with his family has lived in Ypsilanti and who will be remembered as a popular clerk in the grocery store of C. King & Co., will regret to learn of a shocking accident which has befallen him at Spencer, New York, where he has been living.

Carl and Will Gooding were working in the field next the railroad track when they heard a train approaching. Carl Gooding looked around to see what had become of the dog that had accompanied them to the field and was a pet of his wife's. The dog was running toward the track and Mr. Gooding attempted to reach him. The dog slipped by him and ran directly on the track. Mr. Gooding pursued him onto the track and, realizing the train was upon him, attempted to clear the track with a jump. But the train struck them both. It instantly killed the canine, and might also have killed the man had he not been hurled into a pool of water by the side of the track. Here he would have probably been drowned soon, lying on his back in nearly three feet of water, had not the train backed up, put him in the baggage car and taken him into Spencer.

The doctor in Spencer found his injuries so serious that he was at once conveyed to a hospital in Elmira. His whole body was cut and bruised, his shoulder and other bones were broken, and he also sustained internal injuries. He is now recovering, although it is feared he will be somewhat disfigured.

PROF. S. B. LAIRD WILL ADDRESS PARENTS AT WOODRUFF SCHOOL FRIDAY

Prof. S. B. Laird of the Normal College will address the parents' meeting at the Woodruff school, Friday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. The subject of the address is "Discipline." Prof. Laird addressed the parents' meeting of this school last year on the three interesting periods of the child's life. The subject this year is by the request of the parents.

Husband Killed; Accepts $125.

Port Huron, Mich., Jan. 18.—Mary Brockmiller, widow of the late Henry Brockmiller, who was killed by a Rapid Railway car near Marine City on Dec. 28, has filed a petition in probate court here asking for the appointment of general and special administrators for the estate of her deceased husband. She alleges that the estate is worth about $4,000. She asks the permission of the court to have the special administratrix settle all claims against the company for $125.

Freed Only to Be Rearrested.

Ionia, Mich., Jan. 18.—Floyd Griswold of Belding concluded a sentence for jumping a board bill, and as he stepped out the jail door he was met by Deputy Webster of Belding, who arrested him a second time for the same offense at another boarding house. He demanded a court trial, but is still in jail.

Standish Man Dies of Exposure.

Standish, Mich., Jan. 18.—Christian Hansen, prominent resident of this place, who wandered away from the home of a daughter, teacher at Emory Junction, thirty miles north of here, last Wednesday and was found badly frozen, is dead. He was sixty-three years old. Two daughters survive him.

NOTICE OF PRIMARY ENROLLMENT

The Enrollment Board of the Township of Ypsilanti will be at Ypsilanti Town House on Saturday, Jan. 27, 1912, and on Monday, April 1st, 1912, for the purpose of enrolling the names of all persons who may make personal application for such enrollment. All previous enrollments are cancelled and an entirely new enrollment is required of all electors.

PERRY WATLING,
Township Clerk. 124*

MINERS DEMAND U. S. OWNERSHIP

Resolution Adopted by United Mine Workers' Convention.

SAMUEL GOMPERS IS ROASTED

Clash in Indianapolis Convention Comes on Proposal to Withdraw from American Federation of Labor.

Indianapolis, Jan. 18.—Government ownership of all industries was favored by the United Mine Workers of America in a resolution adopted in convention.

The resolution was presented by the local union of Manifold, Pa. It was backed by the socialists in the convention and found practically no opposition among the 1,300 delegates.

Heated debate followed the reading of a resolution providing for withdrawal of the mine workers from the American Federation of Labor and condemning the leadership of Samuel Gompers and John Mitchell, as "affiliated with that sleep producing agency," the National Civic Federation.

"The Federation of Labor," the resolution declared, "is in the grasp of Judge Gary of the steel trust, Andrew Carnegie of Homestead fame, and August Belmont, 'friend of the interurban railway workers of New York.'"

The resolution advocated the calling of a great labor convention in this city April 1, and the formation of a new national industrial organization "to emancipate wage workers from the yoke of industrial servitude." Frank Hefferley of Collinsville, Ill., is author of the measure.

The resolutions committee did not concur in the resolution.

One great union of coal and metal miners in the United States and Canada must be formed if mine workers are successfully to combat mine operators' corporations, said Edward Young, representing the Western Federation of Miners, in an address. He urged that the coal miners absorb the metal miners' union.

A referendum vote will be taken among the metal miners of the Western Federation on the question of combining with the coal miners. J. A. McKinnon reported indications were the proposal would be approved.

"After we have united on the industrial field we will unite on the political field," said Mr. Kinnon.

Regent of Persia to Quit.

Teheran, Persia, Jan. 18.—Persistent reports are current that the regent Masi-el-Mulk has determined to resign. He has not attended the meetings of the government for several days.

GOV. WILSON GIVEN DINNER

ELABORATE PLANS MADE FOR RECEPTION OF NEW JERSEY MAN WHILE IN A. A.

Ann Arbor, Jan. 17—A dollar dinner will be one of the features of the visit of Gov. Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, to this city Friday of this week. The dinner will be given at the Allenel. Mr. Wilson will speak at the Whitney in the morning. In the absence of President Hutchins of the university the meeting will be presided over by Dean V. C. Vaughan. The dinner will follow the speech.

He will arrive at 9:18 a. m., and if he train is on time he will be taken to University hall where he will meet Dr. Angell, the deans of the faculties and such other faculty members as are assembled. This meeting will be very brief, as he will leave University hall at 10:15 as the meeting in Whitney theatre begins at 10:30 promptly.

WILL DEVELOP "CON" MINE

Sagola Man Buys Property that Fleeced Menominee People.

Menominee, Mich., Jan. 18.—Menominee people who were fleeced in the Kimkerley-Wiffley mining deal at Kokomo, Cal., are interested in the announcement that the property has been purchased by Patrick Flanagan of Sagola, who is said to have paid $60,000 for the mine and is now the sole owner of the property.

He bought the mine at a receiver's sale with the understanding that the original owners could redeem the property within a stated time. This they failed to do and it is understood that the mine will be developed under Mr. Flanagan's direction.

WEATHER FORECAST

Snow tonight followed by cold wave Friday. Temp. at noon, 36.

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"CITY GOVERNMENT BY COMMISSION."

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The concrete illustration of accomplishment is always more interesting than any amount of concrete statement of principles which are responsible for accomplishment. We are pleased to note that Mr. Woodruff in his little book recognizes this and devotes considerable space to the actual accomplishments in commission-governed cities. He considers them by groups and gives attention first to results in Galveston, Huston and other Texas cities.

Mr. Woodruff says in part: "Naturally, students and administrators ask: what has been the result of the commission government of American cities? Has there been any signs of a reaction? Do the people of the commission-governed cities seem to be satisfied? What are the results in dollars and cents and in actual improvements? Speaking at large there are no signs of any reaction. The movement does not appear to have reached flood tide. That the people are fairly well satisfied is demonstrated by the fact that so far no city that has adopted the commission form has abandoned it and so far as I have been able to ascertain, there has been no serious proposition to that effect. The results in dollars and cents and improvements seem to be satisfactory so far as they have been analyzed.

"What the commission has accomplished for the city of Galveston, under the most adverse circumstances, has indeed been remarkable. The total floating debt of the city has been entirely paid off. It secured and paid for the services of a board of three eminent engineers who devised plans for the great sea wall and raised the grade of the city. These improvements have been completed at a total cost to the city and county, jointly, of more than $4,000-000. The commission rebuilt the city hall, rebuilt the waterworks pumping station, extended the water system, built three engine houses, repaired the different engine houses over the city damaged by the storm, repaved with brick the streets throughout the entire business section at a cost to the city of $183,027.07, built rock and shell roads at a cost of $18,064.04, provided a large amount of drainage at a cost of $245,664.47, extended the sewer system and adjusted the question of interest on the bonded debt by obtaining a reduction in the rates for a period of five years. Altogether $609,765.58 has been expended out of the general fund for paving, shell roads and drains, with the exception of $48,088.97 which was obtained from the sale of bonds.

"The city has also paid off a number of old judgments inherited from former administrations, aggregating $18,026.65 and retired $462,000 of the bonded debt, has purchased new fire engines and other equipment. The city employes have been paid promptly in cash, and the summer season passed through without borrowing a dollar. All this has been accomplished without a bond issue or a dollar of increased taxation, excepting the bonds issued for protective purposes. The city collects interest on bank balances from bonded depositories (previously this went to the city treasurer as a perquisite), collects a special vehicle tax which goes to the street improvement fund, and special sewer connections as would meet the city's water service, cleared the sidewalks of fruitstands and other obstructions which had occupied them for years, has prosecuted to a finish all outstanding lawsuits, collected taxes promptly, has destroyed the policy evil and public gambling and adopted an ordinance districting barrooms out of the residence sections.

"In securing the services of heads of departments and employes, the commissioners have ignored political influence. Capacity and fitness have been considered first. The total amount of bonds paid off and destroyed by the board of commissioners, including $550,000 of the grade-raising bonds retired to the state donation fund, is $1,124,336.62. There were also destroyed $620,663.38 in bonds left in various funds from the mayor-aldermen administration.

"In reviewing the success of the Galveston commission, it is only proper to mention a civic organization which has contributed not a little to that success—The City Club, an organization of the business men of the city, organized for the purpose of civic improvement. One of its most important duties has been, however, the maintenance of the commission in power. It is a theory of the government of Galveston that the office should seek the man and not the man seek the office. Consequently The City Club has undertaken to relieve the city commissioners of all responsibilities connected with their reelection. Thus the commissioners are taken out of politics. They are men who in general dislike politics in the ordinary sense of the term and who could be induced to accept public office under no other condition. They merely consent to serve if elected. The City Club undertakes their election. It raises the campaign fund by subscription, publishes and circulates the literature and looks after all the details of the election. The commissioners do not even contribute to the campaign fund.

"The government of Galveston is still being administered by the same commission which has been in power since it was first adopted in 1901, with the single exception that it has a new mayor."

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THE NEED OF A REPRESENTATIVE CIVIC CLUB, OR LEAGUE.

There has often been expressed in Ypsilanti the sentiment that we should have a thoroughly representative civic club, or league, to promote unselfishly the interests of the whole city at large. We have clubs and leagues and associations organized to promote specific problems. We have, for example, the Ypsilanti Industrial Association, which is devoting itself to the promotion of the industrial needs of our city. It has not seen fit to depart from this one specific purpose, and we presume there is little likelihood of its doing so.

There was once organized a Municipal League, as we recall, more particularly to get the laws we have enforced in Ypsilanti. While the membership of the league has done considerable, valuable good for the city's welfare, the organization as such has not taken itself very seriously. The anti-tuberculosis society has a specific work to do and is doing it as well as can be expected with the funds at its disposal. The Ypsilanti Civic Improvement Association has become rather dormant since Professor Magers, its last president, removed from our city. There is a needed and a specific work which this organization should accomplish with much profit to the city.

The suggestion that a Municipal Ownership League be organized, in order that the very wide-spread interest in the gas question may find adequate expression at the polls and in the city's council chamber, may well receive the attention which its importance deserves. We have other clubs and organizations of a quasi-public interest character. But it has seemed to us that for some time what Ypsilanti needs more than any other thing is some club, or league, or organization which is more comprehensive and more representative; which will get all of the city-loving citizens together. We need to meet together, boost each other and talk things over, in order that we may have a better understanding.

The petition filed a few days ago evidences the very general interest in the city's welfare which our citizens all over the city feel for their city. But we have no common meeting-place. We have no program which would call us together. Prejudice thrives in dark places and, without a common meeting-place where the light may be thrown on, fully and completely and disinterestedly, we are liable to injure our own interests by nursing some prejudice which is based upon nothing more substantial than fancy.

If, then, we could have a representative civic organization, which would provide for a series of addresses on public questions at very small cost indeed to the citizenship, but which would keep us abreast of the times, would bring to our notice in time to permit us to avail ourselves of up-to-date municipal ideas, which would give us a better working, save us money, save us time, increase our love and respect for our city, arouse within us municipal enthusiasm for municipal accomplishment, enthrone pride and excite the spirit of cooperation for the common good, which always registers itself ultimately for the private good as well—if we can have an organization of this kind grow out of the present demonstration that we are all interested in the public welfare when once we get aroused, it will become a great asset for the city. And it would seem that, if we could merge several existing clubs into one comprehensive enough to include all their public purposes, and then place the leaders in these respective branches of public welfare promotion at the head of sections representing these divisions,—there would be made possible, by presenting the reports of these sections—by devoting an evening to it—to the larger organization, a more sympathetic and comprehensive interest in the larger civic problem, of which the branches are but parts.

The social centre idea, which is receiving so much prominence and approval these days, is establishing the necessity of our meeting together and studying our problems together face to face and not simply by proxy through the columns of the printed page.

Let us do it for Ypsilanti and let us do it now.

REGENERATION OF A LAZY MAN

Strange Weakness of a One Time Brave Soldier.

There is in every one, however strong, some weakness which is bound to show itself sooner or later. Such was the case with George Converse, who at twenty-eight had served two enlistments in the United States army with credit. He had entered as a private and come out as first sergeant of his company, besides having been mentioned several times for gallantry in action. The reason why he did not enlist for another term was because he had fallen in love with a pretty seamstress, who adored him, and they were to be married. Ida Harker was very proud of her lover's prowess.

The ex-sergeant found a job as porter in a store. The couple were married and went to housekeeping in a little place purchased with Ida's savings. All went well for awhile, but George, having been used to an entirely different life, became restive under the commonplace duties of a porter. He missed the out of door life, the martial music, the metallic ring of arms and especially the excitement and danger of a campaign. Day after day he grew more discontented and at last began to shirk his duties. This in time cost him his position. He was not sorry, because he thought he would find something better suited to his taste.

George tried several other occupations, but did not show any more aptitude for work in them than in the first. From some of them he retired voluntarily; from others he was discharged. Meanwhile children were born to the couple, and since there were so many mouths to feed the wife resumed the work of seamstress, which she had lain down at her marriage. She still had the same admiration for her husband and delighted to hear him tell his friends of his battles, listening herself demurely and watching with pride the effect on the others. However, George's position as a do-nothing, permitting his wife to support not only herself and their children, but him as well, at last caused the finger of scorn to be pointed at him.

At last an event happened that opened Ida's eyes. So long as George was an ex-hero of many battles she could brook his inability to labor at ordinary duties, though she was obliged to supply the deficiency herself, but one night, being awakened by the smell of smoke, she got up, opened the bedroom door and found that the house above was in flames. Awakening her husband, she bade him go to the upper floor and bring their eldest boy, while she carried down the other two children, who slept in a room opposite to her own. Leaving George to his task she executed her own, but since he did not appear her anxiety led her back to discover the cause of the delay. She expected to see him battling with the flames, half suffocated with smoke, bearing their son to safety. Instead he was standing at the foot of the staircase which led to the burning story, shivering.

"George, for heaven's sake, go! The child will be lost."

George turned toward her a face white with fear.

"Oh, George!"

This was all. She saw that he was terror stricken. A veteran at standing up against shot and shell, he was a raw recruit at meeting fire. She gave a spring and dashed up the staircase.

The act of his brave little wife was needed to enable George Converse to master a constitutional weakness. Ida had not reached the top step before her husband darted past her with the cry "Go back!" How he got through the fire and smoke that intervened between him and the boy, why he was not burned mortally by the one or suffocated by the other, he nor any one else ever knew. Reaching the room he sought, knowing that he could not bring the child out by the way he had come, he cried to his wife:

"Go below the window!"

Ida ran down and out, seizing a blanket by the way. In the yard she found several neighbors who had been attracted by the fire. At the same moment George threw up a sash above. Without a word those present seized the blanket, and the boy was dropped safely into it.

As soon as George Converse saw that his son was safe he began to remember the fear of fire that had paralyzed him. It was all gone, the shame he felt only remaining. But one idea filled his mind—to wipe out the stain.

"Jump!" cried those below, holding the blanket under the window.

George sat down on the window sill, took a pipe and a tobacco pouch from his pocket, filled the pipe, lighted it and began to puff as coolly as if there were no fire.

"Jump!" repeated the crowd. "The roof may fall at any moment."

"I'm going back the way I came," he said doggedly.

"If you do you are a dead man."

"Then I'll be a dead man."

He turned from the window, but, hearing the agonized call of his wife, bent over the sill. The look she gave him told him that he had no need to vindicate himself in her eyes, and he remembered that if he were lost she would be left to continue to support herself and their children. He jumped into the blanket.

From that moment George Converse became an industrious worker and made his family happy and comfortable.

Good and Evil Genius.

Every man hath a good and a bad angel attending on him in particular, all his life long.—Burton.

Points for Mothers

The Home Play Hour.

"Mother, what can I do this afternoon while you are in the kitchen fixing dinner?"

So many mothers are confronted by this question that the following suggestions may satisfactorily answer your child the next time she confronts you with such a demand. Try making vegetable furniture.

In preparing the vegetables give the child a thin slice of potato or carrot or any vegetable of that description and allow her to hold it up to the light. She will be amazed and delighted at the beauties it contains. Show how the apple sliced horizontally through the core displays the star, which she will at once connect with the blossom.

Wonderful sets of furniture may be constructed from slices of vegetables and match sticks. A piece of carrot with four match sticks makes a charming table, while two slices of carrot cut lengthwise may be converted into a comfortable sofa, the back fastened on with match sticks and four legs added. Innumerable other forms will suggest themselves to the child, and always encourage originality and inventiveness.

There are many possibilities in a handful of small grain, such as rice, hominy or barley, or, best of all, lentils, if you have them. Spread these out on the table, and many objects may be made in mass, such as circles or apples, or any vegetable and fruit. These will then suggest different animal forms or trees. Another way of using lentils is to make the shape of the desired object by putting one grain next to another and then filling in the outline with the rest of the seeds.

Another game growing out of this one may be played with a piece of string, not too heavy. First allow the child to experiment with it and then suggest laying a circle. One dent in the outline will make an apple, another opposite will suggest a butterfly or a spool, three dents a three leaf clover and four dents a flower.

This will suggest straightening out the curves into points to form a star or into lines to make a square, or a small circle with a string is a toy balloon or is modified into a kite. Besides these the outlines of vegetables or fruits or kitchen utensils are made, not to mention scrolls and other conventional forms.

Until now no mention has been made of the delights of baking day. Oh, the joy of a piece of dough and the tin lid of a baking powder can! What delectable pies and cakes are made, what sumptuous feasts are served to dolly!

Swimming Without Water.

The school children of Germany are taught to swim without the use of water. It is claimed that the proper stroke and motions of the arms and legs are more readily acquired in this manner than in the water, as is the more general way of teaching swimmers. The student is suspended by a wide belt from on overhead rail, while the feet are attached to a pair of ropes running over pulleys and adjustable to various requirements. The pupils thus suspended are then taught how to perform the movements of the breast stroke until the action becomes almost instinctive. The advantage in teaching these movements in such a way is that the pupil is not distracted by the fear of a ducking.

Chewing Gum For Children.

After all the sarcastic comments on the chewing gum habit it is interesting to note in a recent issue of American Medicine a good word in its favor. Dr. La Grand Kerr writes that one of the most trying problems in infectious diseases of children is to keep the mouth clean and that many of the secondary infections which occur as a result of infectious diseases in childhood occur because the mouth has not been kept clean. He adds that children rebel against the cleansing process while they are ill, and he advises the use of chewing gum as offering the easiest and best relief.

Training Children.

Obedience, order and cleanliness are the three most important points to instill into a child's mind.

When baby is old enough to understand simple nursery rules he should be taught that rules are made to be kept at all times.

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HE SAW INDIANS TURN BACK SUN

Colonel Scott and Government Had to Wait Three Days.

MYSTIC RITE OF THE CHIEFS

Great White Father Sent the Soldier-Diplomat to Make the Papooses Go to School — Scott Understands Indian Sign Languages.

All the people on earth will not freeze to death in 1912. That has been attended to by the Hopi Indians in Arizona. Authority for the statement is Colonel Hugh L. Scott, U. S. A., former superintendent of the Military academy at West Point and at present commanding the famous Third cavalry, one of the regiments now on duty on the Mexican border. He had to wait three days for the wise men of the tribes to conjure back the sun.

Colonel Scott enjoys the distinction of being the one white man now living who thoroughly understands the mysterious sign languages of the North American Indians. There is no more beloved soldier in the army, the Indians being his devoted servitors, and when everything else has failed to settle a dispute in which the Indian is involved Colonel Scott is generally selected to settle the matter, and the records show that he nearly always succeeds.

Took Place In Arizona.

"The turning back of the sun," a feat that the Hopis think they have accomplished, was witnessed by Colonel Scott during a recent visit to the Hopi villages in northeastern Arizona. He had been sent there on request of the department of the interior to find out why the Hopis refused to send their children to the government schools. For months the department had been trying to get them to patronize the schools, but they persistently refused, and finally Colonel Scott was called on to deal with the problem. He is called "Mole Tequop" by the Indians, which in English means "he talks with his hands." The colonel was transferred temporarily from the war department to the interior and intrusted with the mission to go to the Hopi country and settle the differences that had arisen between the Indians and the "white father" at Washington.

A few weeks ago Colonel Scott left Washington and proceeded by rail to Holbrook, Ariz., from which place he went on horseback over the Painted desert to the Hopi villages. After a long and tedious ride he arrived at the village where the head chiefs of the Hopis were assembled. He found them busy "turning back the sun."

They were glad and happy to meet "Mole Tequop," but even one so beloved as he would have to wait until the ceremonies incident to the control of the sun had been completed, they informed him. Colonel Scott accordingly postponed official talks until after the sun had been properly attended to. In a letter to a friend he tells of the interesting ceremony of which he was a privileged witness.

The Indians Like Him.

"Your letter," Colonel Scott wrote, "was delivered to me in the Painted desert of Arizona on my way back to the railroad station from the Hopi towns. I wish you could have been along, for I know you would have enjoyed it, and you would have got a lot of interesting information. The Hopi towns are among the oldest in North America, and the Indians are extremely primitive.

"When I visited them they were engaged in ceremonies preparatory to the turning back of the sun. I was informed that if they did not attend to this for us the sun would get clear away from the earth and never come back again and we would all freeze to death."

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Colonel Scott did not refer to the official part of his journey or indicate whether his mission had been successful, but from another source it is learned that he accomplished all he was sent to do and that by now all the little Hopi boys and girls are probably busy with the "three Rs," with everybody in the Hopi country happy.

The records in Washington show that Colonel Scott has seldom failed to settle any Indian controversy that has ever been intrusted to him. Three years ago a little Indian war seemed imminent in the Four Corners section of the west, so named because the states of Colorado, Utah, New Mexico and Arizona met there. Colonel Scott and a sergeant went to the scene of the trouble, and in three days the war zone was as peaceable as a New England village.

Colonel Scott for a long time was governor of the Sulu archipelago, in the Philippines. He gained the trust and affection of the Moros just as he has that of the Indians, and when he left the Moros gave him the original copy of the Koran, which had been the most treasured possession of the Mohammedan chief priests for more than five centuries.

Five Above Freezing, Sixty Swim.

More than sixty persons took a New Year's bath in the surf at Coney Island. The water was only 37 degrees above zero and a cold northwest wind was blowing, but a number of the hardy ones ventured to swim far out.

Overcrowding in New York.

There is shocking overcrowding of people in New York. Last year, according to the report of the New York city commission on congestion of population about one-third of the city's population were living at a density of more than 600 to the acre. There are blocks where the density rises to 750 to the acre. Under the present law six story tenements are permitted to have density of 1,300 to the acre. Many room in Manhattan, Brooklyn and the Bronx were found to contain from three of five persons.

A Concomitant.

"Is a sham battle always followed by a festive celebration?" "I don't know. Why do you ask?" "Because where there is a sham battle, there ought in the fitness of things, to be some sham pain."

A Sport for the Old.

In most sports youth possesses all the advantages; experience is often a poor match for youth and agility, but the stripling has no advantage over skilful age in fishing

MACON

Macon, Jan. 18—The funeral of Mrs. William Heriot was held at the home of her son-in-law, J. Albert Collins, Tuesday. Rev. Scarlet from Ridgeway preached the sermon. Her death was due to advanced age, she being eighty-five years old.

Eleven cases of small-pox are reported in Tecumseh and many more in Britton. The town is under quarantine. The schools at Ridgeway closed in consequence and two cases are reported in Macon in the vicinity of Lew Miller's on the Ridge.

The Macon Cemetery association elected the following officers on Monday: J. H. Hatch, president; Lavern Camburn, vice-president; Gabriel A. Mills, secretary, and William O'Riley, treasurer.

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Lewis Skinner has leased his farm for one year to Martin Egart and will reside in Tecumseh. His mother, Mrs. Mary Skinner, will accompany him.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnes from Ohio who recently purchased the Calvin Davenport home at the village, have gone to spend the winter with a married daughter in Arkansas.

Fred Ferguson of Tecumseh who is recovering from a severe illness at his sister's, Mrs. Granville Mill's, intends to go to Vancouver, B. C., to spend some time with his daughter, Mrs. Emma White, in the spring.

SOUTH YPSILANTI

South Ypsilanti, Jan. 18—Mrs. Ira Fuller has been called back to Ypsilanti by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Charles Newton.

Arthur Cross, Norman Ballard, Herbert Allen and John Hewens attended the meeting of school officers at Ann Arbor, Tuesday.

Miss Myrtle Thompson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Fuller.

Frank O'Brien is now attending Cleary Business College.

Mrs. Jesse Hewens was a Detroit visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Ida Groves has gone to spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. John Hewens.

Mrs. Henry Hammond went to Ann Arbor Saturday.

The Preparatory meeting of Ministry and Oversight was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lord, Tuesday.

The Misses Bessie Foley and Grace Binford were guests Tuesday of Miss Myrtle Thompson.

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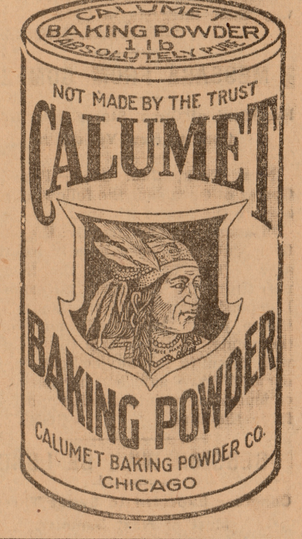

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Steers	$5.00-$6.50
Heifers	$5.00-$6.00
Hens	10c
Spring Chickens	11c
Turkeys	18c-20c

Produce

(Corrected by H. D. Wells' grocery)

Dairy Butter, pound	32c
Eggs	30c
Honey, dark	12c
Honey, light	120-15c
Potatoes	80c-85c

Ypsilanti Grain Market

(Corrected by Washtenaw Huron Mills)

Oats	44c
Wheat, No. 2, white	89c
Wheat, No. 2, red	91c
Rye	90c

Hides

(Ypsilanti Hide and Leather Co.)

No. 1, cured,	12c
No. 1, green,	10c
No. 1, cured Bull	9¾c
No. 1, green Bull	8¾c
No. 1, cured Veal Kip	12½c

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No. 1, green Veal Kip	11¾c
No. 1, cured Calf	16¾c
No. 1, green Calf	15¾c

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Chicago Cash Grain Quotations.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 96@98c; No. 3 red, red, 94@96c; No. 2 hard winter, 98c@$1.02; No. 3 hard winter, 95@99c; No. 1 northern spring, $1.09@1.10; No. 2 northern spring, $1.05@1.08; No. 3 spring, 98c@$1.04. Corn—No. 3, 61¾@62½; No. 3 white, 63@63¾c; No. 3 yellow, 61¾@63c. Oats—No. 2 white, 50¼@51c; No. 3 white, 49½@50¼c; standard, 50@50½c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Hogs—Receipts 42,000. Quotations ranged at $6.25@6.40 choice heavy, $6.00@6.20 choice light, $6.05@6.25 heavy packing, and $5.10@5.65 good to choice pigs.

Cattle—Receipts 19,000. Quotations ranged at $7.80@8.65 prime steers, $5.35@6.10 choice to prime fed beef cows, $5.00@5.90 good to choice heifers, $5.30@6.00 selected feeders, $3.60 4.14 fair to good stockers, $9.25@10.00 good to choice veal calves.

Sheep—Receipts 30,000. Quotations ranged at $7.15@7.30 choice to prime native lambs, $5.40@6.25 good to choice yearlings, $4.70@5.00 good to choice wethers, $4.15@4.75 fair to good ewes.

Butter.

Creamery, per lb., 40c; prints, 42½c; extra firsts, 36c; firsts, 33c; dairies, extra, 34c; firsts, 31c; packing stock, 23c.

Live Poultry.

Turkeys, per lb., 13c; chickens, fowls, 13½c; roosters, 8½c; springs, 12c; ducks, 15c; geese, 11c.

Potatoes.

Wisconsin, per bu., $1.05@1.08; Michigan, $1.08@1.10.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

Dunning & Stevens, Live Stock Commission Merchants, East Buffalo, N. Y., quote as follows: Cattle—Receipts 15 cars; market slow. Hogs—Receipts 40 cars; market steady; heavy, $6.45@6.50; Yorkers, $6.40@6.45; pigs, $6.20. Sheep—Receipts 50 cars; market slow; top lambs, $7.15@7.25; yearlings, $5.50@6.00; wethers, $4.50@4.85; ewes, $4.00@4.50. Calves—Steady; $5.00@10.75.

GRAY HAIR MEANS AGE

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How often one hears the expression 'She is gray and beginning to look old." It is true that gray hair usually denotes age and is always associated with age. You never hear one referred to as having gray hair and looking young.

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SPORTING NEWS

NERVOUS MEN ARE THE BEST.

High Strung Temperament Helps Athletes, Says Coach.

CARL PALMER A GOOD EXAMPLE

Yale Runner's Race In International Collegiate Meet a "Nerve" Effort. High Strung Man Will Almost Always Beat Phlegmatic One.

One of the best football and baseball coaches in the country recently stated that he would rather have his men nervous than cold.

"The combination," said he, "is too much for most men, but nervousness in itself is not a drawback, to my mind. I like athletes with imagination and temperament. It is their imagination that gives them stage fright, but it is also their imagination that ultimately leads them to do almost the impossible when the great test comes. It is of especial value in games in which the men come into physical contact, like football, baseball, basket ball and lacrosse. The first contact with the player of the opposing team usually settles the stage fright unless the man is hopeless, and after that he has his 'nerve,' not his nerves, to fall back upon."

"Suppose," he was asked, "you were able to use antosuggestion on your team—suppose your team went into action absolutely cool and self confident?"

"Nothing in it," he replied. "It may be all right for actors, although I have known not a few who always suffered from stage fright. This is the way I want my men to feel—I want them to imagine what will happen if they make a mistake, but I also want them to imagine themselves making a great run for a touchdown, or kicking a goal from the field, or something like that. There are times, of course, when it has not worked both ways, but in the end the right temperament for the American athlete is the nervous temperament."

Carl Palmer Example.

One of the best examples of the ideal athletic temperament was that of Carl Palmer, the Yale distance runner of years ago, who was entered in the three mile run in the Yale-Harvard-Oxford-Cambridge games in England. Palmer was built like a thoroughbred and had the temperament that goes with the build. Off the field he was a restless chap, interested in many college activities, a good student and indeed high strung in every way. Before he arrived in England he had never run three miles in his life, and his time for two miles had been nothing out of the ordinary.

On the day of the games he sat in the grass inclosure waiting for his event, the last on the program. Beside him sat Workman, the veteran English distance man, for whom the three mile was expected to be a walkover. Palmer was young, impressionable and friendly and requested that Workman give him his blazer in exchange for Palmer's Yale sweater so that both would have souvenirs of the meeting.

Workman favored him with a glassy stare, and in an instant the American was no longer chilly and worried, but thoroughly angered by the rebuff. In that moment the young runner determined to give the older man the race of his life.

There were two Englishmen in the race to make the pace for Workman and two Harvard men to do as much for Palmer. They went to the scratch with the result of the meet hanging on the result of the race—the race between the mature English champion and the slender American boy who had never run three miles in his life. Palmer determined that he would cling to Workman like a burr, even if it meant that he was to be run into the ground. The Harvard men could not hold the pace and dropped out. Palmer ran the two pacemaking Englishmen off their feet, although it cost him dearly to do so. "At the two mile mark," he said afterward, "I almost prayed that somebody would throw a stick between my legs and upset me. But a little farther on I came to and was glad that I had held together so far."

Nerve Put Him First.

At the two and a half mile mark it was the Englishman who was worried. He put on speed and drew away for twenty yards only to hear the steady pounding behind him draw up again. So they turned into the last quarter with Workman only about three yards to the good. Now, the temperament of the American boy told, for, although he had traveled so far faster than ever before in his athletic career, he made his first challenge for the lead on pure "nerve." Men who saw the finish of that race will never forget it. Palmer challenged six times in the stretch and six times could not quite get the lead. The odds were a shade too great, but he had run a race such as is seen only once or twice in a decade.

Both of the runners were in a dead faint after the race. Weeks afterward Workman and Palmer were the best of friends, and the Englishman told the American that for the first time in his running career he had been pressed so closely as to feel actual fear that he would be beaten. When he crossed the line he was not even sure that he had won, for he was running "blind."

WHY GEORGE MULLIN NEVER SLIDES INTO BASE.

George Mullin, the husky right hander of the Detroit Tigers, recently declared he had never slid into a base in his career in Detroit. "My fill of sliding came just as I was breaking into the game," said George. "I was young and ambitious then, and once when I was on second I thought I saw a brilliant opportunity to steal. No sooner did I think than I proceeded to execute my thoughts. I started on a mad gallop for third, and as I neared it I saw the ball flashing across the diamond to the third baseman. I closed my eyes and did a Cobbesque fallaway slide. I hit the turf all right, but when I banged into the sack I not only scraped the skin off my nose and filled my ears with terra firma, but also broke my right leg. That was enough! Never again!"

WOOTTON MAY RETIRE.

Increasing Weight May Probably Force English Jockey to Give Up Saddle.

The news that Frank Wootton, the leading English jockey, had increased in weight from 105 pounds until he had difficulty doing 126 pounds at one of the late meetings in the north, coupled with the information that the rider would not contract to do less than 128 pounds in 1912, marks the passing of a real good horseman and brings anew to the attention of those who are fond of the turf the fact that no calling is more uncertain than that of jockey.

Wootton's career has been brilliant, but it will perhaps be almost the shortest on the English turf unless all signs fail. It was only a few years ago that he was riding at ninety pounds and less, and at the rate he is increasing in weight 133 to 136 pounds will perhaps be his limit for 1913. His engagements will be correspondingly fewer, and undoubtedly within the next few years he will be found following his father's profession of trainer and owner. Wootton has saved his money, but is not in Maher's class as a money maker, the young American being credited with being worth $500,000.

Photo by American Press Association.

FRANK WOOTTON, GREAT ENGLISH JOCKEY.

While the financial returns which come to a successful jockey are undoubtedly large, the dangers of the contest are ever present, and there is not much bodily comfort for the man who is fond of creature comforts. It is a life of self denial and privation for those who would climb the ladder to the topmost rung.

ASSISTANT TEAM MANAGERS.

Big Baseball Clubs Have Signed Many For Next Season.

The creation of an assistant manager has given berths to many veteran ball players whose playing days are over and who have not had the opportunity to secure managerial positions. In this way some men who have been identified with baseball for years are being taken care of in their declining days, though their positions are by no means sinecures. Kid Gleason, for instance, should be of great help to Jimmy Callahan. Latham has been an able lieutenant to McGraw, while many other clubs have men of experience to help out their managers.

Daly of Dartmouth Great Athlete.

Eddie Daly, Dartmouth's 1911 football captain and baseball captain for next year, has a college athletic career that is hard to beat. He has played in every football and baseball game since he entered the college.

Dahlen Many Years In Harness.

Manager Bill Dahlen of Brooklyn has been in the National league continuously since 1890.

DUTCH BRIGADE AGAIN SUFFER BAD DEFEAT

In Wednesday night's bowling match Werner and Campbell again tasted defeat. This time at the hands of Cooney and Rohn, who relieved them of two games right off the reel but becoming ashamed of themselves gave the last game to the Dutchmen out of gratefulness for past favors.

In the first game everybody started like world beaters but Rohn was the only one of the quartet to hang on to the idea long enough to roll a good score, he getting 172, beating his opponent by 40 pins while Cooney was fighting hard to stall off Werner and finally had to succumb to the flying Dutchman who lead him by 13 pins but they still had plenty left to put the game on ice. The second game was a neck and neck affair all the way right up to the last frame when the Dutchmen again failed to produce and were nosed out by 28 pins. The third game was very much German all the way and they took revenge for their previous defeats and handed Rohn and Cooney a good beating, coming out 61 pins to the good. The scores:

Cooney	153	171	135
Rohn	172	156	149
Totals	325	327	284
Werner	166	152	157
Campbell	132	147	168
Totals	298	299	335

FIRST INDOOR GAME TONIGHT

Tonight the newly organized indoor baseball team will meet the fast Saline nine at the Light Guard Armory. The Saline boys have been playing together for several seasons and are one of the most feared teams in this part of the state, but Ypsilanti will be able to give them a close game as the team is composed of old stars at this sport, some of whom are as good as the best, and a close and well played contest is assured the lovers of the indoor game.

The Ypsilanti team will line-up as follows: Nadeau, CF; Millman, 3B; D. Bell, 1B; L. Bell, SS; Thomas, C; Hammerschmidt, 2B; Zeigler, LF; Cooney, RF; Simpson, P.

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Society News

Calendar for Friday, Jan. 19, 1912

W. R. C., 2 p. m., G. A. R. hall. Appointment of committees. New officers in places for first time.

G. A. R., 8 p. m., G. A. R. hall.

Basket ball, Normal vs. Alma, at Alma.

Annual meeting and supper of the Congregational church, 6 p. m., church edifice.

Penny social by junior league and librarians of M. E. Sunday school, 5:30 p. m., M. E. dining room.

Chalk talk, for boys and girls, 7 p. m., Rev. H. M. Morey, Presbyterian church.

U and I H. H. society dance, Light Guard Armory.

Speech by Governor Wilson, 10:30 a. m., Whitney theatre.

Skating carnival at rink under auspices of Hockey club postponed in case of rain.

Exhibit of the Ypsilanti Poultry Fanciers' Association, 8 a. m. to 10 p. m., 207-209 West Congress street.

Odd Fellows, 7:30 p. m., Odd Fellows' Hall.

Training school chapel, 8:30 a. m. In charge of Miss Clark's 7th grade. Music by grade. Dance by girls in grade. Solo, Marshall Byrn.

Singleton Club postponed till Saturday afternoon.

Rural Calendar for Saturday, Jan. 20

Do What You Can Circle of the King's Daughters, to meet Mr. and Mrs. Owen, Miss Mabel Hayden on John King farm.

Ypsilanti Grange, No. 56, 1:30 p. m., Masonic Temple. "How can we hasten a general parcels post law?" "Taking boys into partnership on the farm."

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Installation of Officers Tonight.

The installation of officers at the Queen City Hive, No. 64, L. O. T. M. M., will be held at the regular meeting this evening. The installing officer will be Mrs. Florence Krapf of Ann Arbor, the county deputy. The initiation of one candidate, Miss Lottie Earl, will take place at this time.

Do What You Can to Meet Saturday.

The Do What You Can Circle of the King's Daughters did not meet last Saturday as announced, because of the non-arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Owen at the Hayden home. Mr. Owen went to India to be a missionary fifteen years ago, taking with him a young bride. They are in this country on leave just at present and were intending to address the King's Daughters at this meeting. However, they are expected to arrive in time this week to do so and the Circle will meet with Miss Mabel Hayden on the John King farm on Saturday afternoon of this week.

Potluck Club Meets.

The last meeting of the Potluck club was held with Miss Anna Gwinner. Ten guests were present. A bounteous six o'clock dinner was served. The next meeting of the club will be held next month with Mrs. Alice Spalsbury and Miss Lucia Densmore.

Singleton Club is Postponed.

The Singleton Club has been postponed from Friday to Saturday of this week, and will then meet with Miss Charlotte King.

To Give Kitchen Shower.

Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Harris will give a kitchen shower at their home on the electric line Friday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wiard whose house was burned a few weeks ago.

"Bugs" to Dance Jan. 23.

The next party in the series given by the "Bugs" will be given at the Country Club, Tuesday, Jan. 23.

Grand Rapids Party, Friday.

The Grand Rapids club will give a dancing party at the gymnasium, Friday evening.

Mrs. Russell Rice is supplying Miss Anna Dusbiber's place at Gaudy's bakery during the latter's absence.

Mrs. Harry Norton of Detroit is visiting her mother, Mrs. Chas. Hubbard, of this city.

Mrs. Don Norton and son, Reginald, are the guests of Mrs. Chas. Norton.

Miss Irene Hines of Ann Arbor will attend the U and I Helping Hand party Friday evening. She will be the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Clifford Thoms.

Miss Nina Parsons of Hamilton street will attend the military ball in Ann Arbor, Friday evening.

Mrs. Marcia Ingraham who has been seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. R. George, at Coldwater, is some better.

Mrs. C. L. Jones of Superior township is seriously ill. She is under the care of Dr. Murray.

Mrs. Duane Spalsbury was a Detroit visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Julia McKinstry and Miss Julia Palmer left Wednesday for Berkeley, California, where they will reside, joining Mr. and Mrs. Perry Palmer, who already live there.

Mrs. Reid Darling went to Ann Arbor this morning.

Mrs. Charles Sweet has been called to Lexington on account of the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Lewis.

Mrs. Ashby of Jackson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. A. Goldsmith, of Prospect street.

Mrs. Nettie Crane was a Detroit visitor Wednesday.

George Dunlap is in Detroit today.

Mrs. V. M. Renne and little daughter have been in Detroit for a few days.

The Misses Grace Maddux, Leah inder and Alice Sinkule will attend the military ball at the new armory at Ann Arbor, Friday evening.

Geoffrey Jefferson is ill.

Superintendent Arbaugh has been called to Jewett, Ohio, on account of the death of an uncle.

Professor D. H. Roberts, of the Normal Training school, leaves this evening for Cheboygan to do institute work.

Miss Grace Lawrence is visiting in Pontiac and Detroit.

Miss Adella Jackson of the Training school faculty, left this morning to conduct an institute at Sandusky, Michigan.

William Pratt of this city has been called to Dexter by the death of his mother, Mrs. John Pratt. She passed away at four o'clock this morning. She was 79 years old. The funeral will be held Sunday at the Dexter church.

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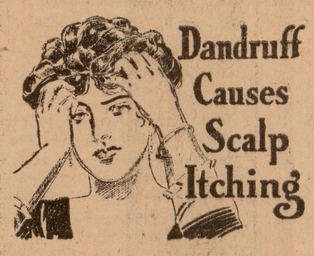

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